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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of)
Thomas G. Woolston) Group Art Unit: 2763
Application No.: Not Assigned) Examiner: Not Assigned
Filed: September 27, 2000)
For: METHOD FOR FACILITATING)
COMMERCE AT AN INTERNET-
BASED AUCTION (*as amended*))

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title to read: METHOD FOR FACILITATING COMMERCE

AT AN INTERNET-BASED AUCTION.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly cancel ~~Claim(s)~~ 1 - 10 without prejudice or disclaimer.

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